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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Ramaswami :  
Hosker : Group Art Unit: 3671  
Application No. 09/711,124 :  
Examiner: Thomas A. Beach  
Filed: November 10, 2000 :  
Attorney Docket No.: 05250.00002  
For: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR : (18638-04-0184)  
ANALYZING AND PREDICTING :  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 3, 2004, a response to which is due September 3, 2004, Applicants request consideration of the remarks that follow:

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